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MEMORANDUM

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TO: ALL COUNTY LICENSE PLATE ISSUING OFFICIALS

FROM: Billy R. Phillips, Supervisor *BWP*
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SUBJECT: Provisional Registration Reinstatements (PRR's) Monthly Report

In reviewing the monthly county Mandatory Liability Insurance Provisional Reinstatement (PRR) report, it was discovered that several county license plate issuing officials have not submitted a monthly PRR report in several months or have not submitted a report since implementation.

As a reminder to all county licensing officials, Act 2006-221, effective July 1, 2006, amended Section 32-7A-9, Code of Alabama 1975, provides that **"In the case of a first violation, the department shall terminate the suspension upon payment by the owner of a reinstatement fee of one hundred (\$100) in certified funds and submission of proof of insurance as prescribed by the department to either the department or to the vehicle owner's county license plate issuing official"** [emphasis added].

The statute was also amended to provide that a registrant has the "option" of submitting proof of insurance and a reinstatement fee of two hundred (\$200) in the case of a 2nd or subsequent MLI violation to **either the department or to the vehicle owner's county license plate issuing official**. Therefore, county license plate issuing officials are required by statute, to accept proof of insurance and the appropriate reinstatement fee for any requesting registrant whose vehicle registration has been suspended and whose vehicle registration was issued in their respective county.

Please feel free to contact this office if assistance is needed with processing a provisional reinstatement.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me or Emmett Woods at (334) 242-3000.

As always, thank you for your cooperation and assistance in this matter.